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The applicants' request for an Oral hearing is noted. The reply brief filed on 11/15/02 have been considered. No further response is deemed necessary. This application is now being forwarded to the Board.

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